



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of: **Nitzan Melamed**

Application No: **10/620,444**

Group Art Unit: **3624**

Filed: **July 17, 2003**

Examiner: **TBA**

Title: **CONSTANT VOLATILITY OR RISK INDICES**

Attorney Docket No: **286643.121 US1**

**SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(d)**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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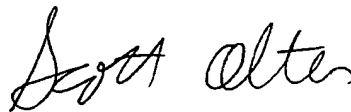
Sir:

On May 16, 2006, Applicant filed a petition to make special (accelerated examination) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.120(d) and MPEP § 708.02 VIII (B). On August 16, 2006 the Examiner issued a decision indicating that Applicant's petition was dismissed for failing to "offer to elect without traverse should the Office determine that all claims are not directed to a single invention." It is Applicant's belief that all claims are directed to a single invention. However, in accordance with the undersigned's discussion with Special Programs Examiner Steven M. Meyer on August 30, 2006, Applicant hereby offers to elect without traverse should the Office determine that all claims are not directed to a single invention.

In view thereof, Applicants respectfully request entry of this Supplement and respectfully requests the Commissioner to grant Applicant's petition to make special. The Commissioner is

hereby authorized to charge any fee for such a petition to make special or credit any overpayment for a petition to make special to deposit account no. 08-0219.

Respectfully submitted



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